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CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

1. TURKISH EMBASSY COUNSELLOR AYDIN YEGEN CALLED ON DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY BLAKE (IO) JUNE 30 TO ASK ABOUT US VIEWS ON POSSIBLE SOUTH AFRICAN AND ISRAELI CREDENTIALS PROBLEMS AT UPCOMING UNGA SESSION.

2. IN RESPONSE TO YEGEN'S QUESTIONS ABOUT SOUTH AFRICA,  
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BLAKE SAID HE HAD NO DOUBT AFRICANS WILL AGAIN CHALLENGE

SOUTH AFRICA'S CREDENTIALS AND THAT GA PRESIDENT WILL BE CALLED ON TO MAKE RULING. AFRICAN TACTICS WILL DEPEND ON COMPOSITION OF CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE, WHICH APPOINTED BY OUTGOING GA PRESIDENT BOUTEFLIKA, ON WHO IS THIS YEAR'S PRESIDENT, AND HOW HE WOULD RULE.

3. BLAK TOLD YEGEN IT ALSO OUR UNDERSTANDING THAT ARABS HAVE T YET DECIDED WHETHER TO SEEK ISRAEL'S EXCLUSION FROM UN. SOME ARABS SEEM TO CONSIDER THREAT OF EXCLUSION AS POLITICAL PRESSURE TO GAIN CONCESSIONS FROM ISRAELIS.

ATMOSPHERE IN MIDDLE EAST IN SEPTEMBER WILL UNDOUBTEDLY HAVE GREAT EFFECT ON ARABS' ACTIONS. IT IS STILL TOO SOON TO SAY WHAT THEY WILL FINALLY DECIDE TO DO. IN ANY CASE US WILL OPPOSE VIGOROUSLY ANY EFFORT TO EXCLUDE ISRAEL FROM FULL PARTICIPATION IN UN. WE BELIEVE SUCH ACTION IN CASE OF EITHER ISRAEL OR SOUTH AFRICA IS WRONG.

4. COMMENT: WE HAD IMPRESSION, FROM WAY QUESTIONS PUT, THAT TURKS WERE TRYING TO THINK THROUGH HOW ALL THIS COULD AFFECT POSSIBLE TURKISH CREDENTIALS CHALLENGES RE CYPRUS. INGERSOLL

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